

operations when the substance is handled as a liquid under heated conditions (70°C or greater).

5. The applicant shall maintain the following records until 5 years after the date they are created, and shall make them available for inspection or copying in accordance with section 11 of TSCA:

a. Records of the quantity of the TME substance produced and the date of manufacture.

b. Records of dates of the shipments to each customer and the quantities supplied in each shipment.

c. Copies of the labels affixed to containers of the substance or formulations containing the substance.

d. Copies of the bill of lading that accompanies each shipment of the substance.

e. Copies of the written agreements with processors outside the company agreeing to comply with the same worker protection, worker training, and labeling requirements applicable to the applicant.

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Date of Receipt: March 2, 1998. The extended comment periods will close (*insert date 15 days after date of publication in the Federal Register*).

Applicant: IFS Industries, Inc.

Chemical: Isocyanic acid, polymethylenepolyphenylene ester, polymer with 2,2-dimethyl-1,3-propanediol, .alpha.-hydro-.omega.-hydroxypoly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], 1,3-isobenzofurandione and 1,1'-methylenebis[4-isocyanatobenzene].

Use: Adhesive for concrete to metal assembly.

Production Volume: 108,000 kg.

Number of Customers: One.

Test Marketing Period: 12 months.

Risk Assessment: EPA identified concerns for lung toxicity and respiratory sensitization based on data on analogous chemical substances. However, the health concerns were mitigated by requiring workers potentially exposed to the TME substance via inhalation to wear a NIOSH-approved air-supplied respirator with an Assigned Protection Factor (APF) of 2,000 for those operations when the substance is handled as a liquid under heated conditions (70°C or greater). Therefore, the Agency has determined that the test market activities will not present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment.

The Agency reserves the right to rescind approval or modify the conditions and restrictions of an exemption should any new information

come to its attention which casts significant doubt on its finding that the test marketing activities will not present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Test marketing exemptions.

Dated: April 22, 1998.

Flora Chow,

Chief, New Chemicals Notice Management Branch, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission of OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Export-Import Bank of the United States.

ACTION: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve a revision of a currently approved collection described below. A request for public comment was published in 63 FR, No. 59, 13437, March 27, 1998. No comments have been received.

SUMMARY: The Export-Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank) is soliciting comments from members of the public concerning the proposed collection of information to: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) minimize the burden of collection of information for those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before June 1, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Comments and recommendations concerning the submission should be sent to OMB Desk

Officer, Dennis Marvich, Office of Management and Budget, Information and Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503, (202) 395-3122.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Copies of these submissions and any additional information may be obtained from Dan Garcia, Export-Import Bank of the United States, 811 Vermont Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20571, (202) 565-3335.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Abstract: OMB 3048-0005: Two applications fall under this collection. EIB-95-9 is the Ex-Im Bank Letter of Interest Application Form and EIB-95-10 is the Ex-Im Bank Preliminary Commitment and Final Commitment Application Form. There are no changes to either EIB-95-9 or EIB-95-10 other than a three-year extension of the expiration date.

Burden Statement Summary:

Type of request: Extension of expiration date.

OMB Number: 3048-0005.

Form Number: EIB-95-9 and EIB-95-10.

Title: EIB-95-9—Ex-Im Bank Letter of Interest Application Form and EIB-95-10—Ex-Im Bank Preliminary Commitment and Final Commitment Application Form.

Frequency of Use: Submission of Applications.

Respondents: Any U.S. or foreign bank, other financial institution, other responsible party including the exporter or creditworthy borrowers in a country eligible for Ex-Im Bank assistance.

Estimated total number of annual responses: EIB-95-9: 900, EIB-95-10: 550.

Estimated total number of hours needed to fill out the form: EIB-95-9: 300, EIB-95-10: 550.

Dated: April 29, 1998.

Dan Garcia,

Agency Clearance Officer.

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FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC).

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: The FDIC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the